



FY 2020 UPDATE

BY THE NUMBERS

- 76 Homes built, 92 families served
- 175 volunteers contributed 8,460 hours helping with construction, ReStore, committees, and office tasks
- 248 individuals, businesses, foundations, and organizations contributed \$338,731 in funds, goods, and services
- Profits from ReStore operations ensure that 100% of donor contributions are used to build Habitat homes
- Another benefit of ReStore is that we keep useable items out of the landfill. For every \$1.00 in ReStore sales 1.3 pounds of materials have been kept out of the landfill

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

- Evening in the Garden 2020 would have been our 14th annual fundraising event, but then there was COVID-19. The event was cancelled, but we are grateful to FarWest Landscape & Garden Center and Citi Cards for their unwavering support of our affiliate.
- In other COVID-19 related news, we were unable to get together with Cathedral of the Rockies for what has become an annual house framing event at their Amity Campus. However, they generously provided funds to purchase the lumber, so we could start construction at Gary Lane and Hill Road.
- Major supporters of Boise Valley Habitat for Humanity in FY2020 include: All Saints Episcopal Church, Apex Energy Solutions, Bank of America, Best Bath Systems, Boise Cascade, Cathedral of the Rockies, Citi Cards, Citi Foundation, Julius C. Jeker Foundation, Inc, The Lightfoot Foundation, U.S. Bank Foundation, and Wells Fargo Foundation.



MISSION STATEMENT

Boise Valley Habitat for Humanity (BVHfH) works in partnership with God and our community to provide decent affordable homes and to promote responsible home-ownership for people in need.

THE HABITAT FOR HUMANITY STORY

Habitat for Humanity International was founded in 1976 in Americus, Georgia when Millard and Linda Fuller decided to do something to give their lives more meaning. The idea that became Habitat grew from their work at a community co-op farm where they developed the concept of *Partnership Housing* as a way to address the poverty they saw around them.

Habitat now works in over 1,400 communities in all 50 states and in approximately 70 countries worldwide. It has helped more than **13 million** people achieve stability and independence through safe, decent, and affordable shelter.

DRIVE - THRU DEDICATION

Jason Welch's Habitat home was unique even before it had the unexpected distinction of holding our first "Drive-thru" Dedication. The Welch home was also the first Boise Valley Habitat for Humanity home built in Kuna and it was our first Veterans Build.

When these COVID-19 related circumstances prevented us from having a traditional home dedication for Jason and his two kids, it was decided to practice social distancing. Family, friends, neighbors, volunteers, and staff were invited to drive by the Welch home holding signs, honking horns, and shouting well-wishes as the family watched from their driveway.